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In re Application of Michel Hoclet

Application No. 10/578,931

Filed: May 8, 2006

Attorney Docket No. MM6010PCT

DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition, filed May 19, 2008, in the above-identified application under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b).

There is no indication that the person signing the instant petition was ever given a power of attorney or authorization of agent to prosecute the above-identified application. However, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.34(a), the signature of Eugene Lieberstein appearing on the petition shall constitute a representation to the United States Patent and Trademark Office that he is authorized to represent the particular party on whose behalf he acts. If Mr. Liebersten desires to receive future correspondence regarding this application, the appropriate power of attorney documents must be submitted. While a courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed Mr. Liebersten all future correspondence will be directed solely to the address of record.

The petition is **DISMISSED**.

The rules and statutory provisions governing the operations of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office require payment of a fee on filing each petition to revive an abandoned application for patent based on unintentional delay or to accept an unintentionally delayed payment of a fee for issuing a patent. In this instance, the fee required by law is \$1,540. If applicant can qualify as a "small entity" and does so prior to or together with the payment of the fee, the fee will be one-half of the amount indicated. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The petition in the above-identified application was <u>not</u> accompanied by payment of the required fee. No consideration on the merits of the petition can be given until the required fee is received.

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